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**ANNUAL REPORTS**  
*OF THE TOWN OF*  
**ALLENSTOWN**  
*NEW HAMPSHIRE*

***FOR THE YEAR ENDING***  
**JANUARY 31, 1932**

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# ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

Selectmen, Treasurer, Town Clerk,  
Highway Agents, School Board  
and Library Trustees

OF THE

Town of Allenstown  
New Hampshire

For the Fiscal Year Ending  
January 31, 1932

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## TOWN OFFICERS

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### *Moderator*

ALEXANDER J. MORENCY

### *Town Clerk*

PAUL Z. LEBLANC

### *Town Treasurer*

ALFRED F. DUPONT

### *Selectmen*

HECTOR P. STOKES	(Term expires 1932)
GEORGE H. DESROCHES	(Term expires 1933)
AMEDEE BEAUCHESNE	(Term expires 1934)

### *Collector of Taxes*

WILLIE D. DANEALT

### *Highway Agents*

ALFRED GAUTHIER, Sr.	(District No. 1)
ALPHONSE COUTURE, JR.	(Districts No. 2 and 3)

### *Fire Warden*

EDWARD HAMEL

### *Forest Fire Wardens*

FRANK P. YOUNG, JR.	ELMER KNOX
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### *Auditors*

JOHN G. MARSTON	HENRY S. ROBERTS
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*Supervisors of Check Lists*

RAYMOND P. CONNOR

HECTOR L. EMOND

ARTHUR L. GAUTHIER

*Health Officer*

WILLIE D. DANEAULT

*Night Officer*

RAYMOND P. CONNOR

*Special Police*

ERNEST O. DANEAULT

EUGENE DROLET

EDWARD LEBLANC

ESDRAS LAVALLEE

JOHN B. CONNOR

ARCHILLE LEFEBVRE

*Members of School Board*

ROGER FOWLER

(Term expires 1932)

GRACE S. MARSTON

(Term expires 1933)

BURT L. MILLEN

(Term expires 1934)

*School Treasurer*

EUGENE N. FONTAINE

*Superintendent of Schools*

HENRY S. ROBERTS

*Librarian*

GRACE S. MARSTON

*Library Trustees*

GRACE S. MARSTON

EDITH S. WATTLES

WESTLEY E. TYRRELL

*Trustees of Trust Funds*

JOHN J. CONNOR

JOHN G. MARSTON

ALEXANDER J. MORENCY

*Representative to the General Court*

ARTHUR L. DESMARAIS

*Tree Warden*

JOHN G. MARSTON

## TOWN WARRANT

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### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

L. S.

*To the Inhabitants of the Town of Allenstown in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the New Fire Station in said Allenstown on Tuesday, the eighth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To hear and act upon the report of the town budget committee.

4. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

5. To see if the town will vote to give a three per cent discount on all taxes paid on or before July 1.

(By petition)

6. To see if the town will vote to extend the sewer from the corner of Cross and High streets to the residence of Paul Girard and raise and appropriate money therefor.

7. (By petition) To see if the town will vote to instruct and authorize the board of selectmen to make such arrangements at once as are compulsory by the U. S. Post



Office Department to establish a village mail delivery to then make formal request on said department for this delivery, and to give special attention at all times to any matter concerning this service to insure its establishment and continuance.

8. (By petition) To see if the town will vote for a fire truck equipped with a pumper.

9. (By petition) To see if the town will accept the private way from the property of Mrs. Joseph Lacasse to School street, near the public school, known as the Private way.

10. (By petition) To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the necessary sum of money to oil the surface of Bartlett street, beginning at the new road and as far as the residence now occupied by Eric Ober.

11. (By petition) To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars for oiling Reserved street.

12. (By petition) To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the necessary sum of money to install one electric street light on Reserved street, south of Donat Bonenfant's home.

13. (By petition) To see if the town will accept the gift of certain land or lands, to be used as Town Forests Land, subject to the condition that local 4 H Clubs or similar organizations under competent supervision, be allowed to practice Forestry thereon for educational purposes.

14. (By petition) To see if the town will authorize and instruct the selectmen to strike out in the account of the assets of the town the following uncollectible items:

Taxes not collected, 1920 levy .....	\$67.81
Taxes not collected, 1921 levy .....	188.60
Taxes not collected, 1922 levy .....	464.10
Taxes not collected, 1923 levy .....	1,013.23

15. To see if the town will adopt the following by-laws, or any of them, relative to the observance of Sunday, commonly called the Lord's Day, made by the selectmen in conformity with Chapter 155, Laws of 1931, and herewith submitted for adoption:

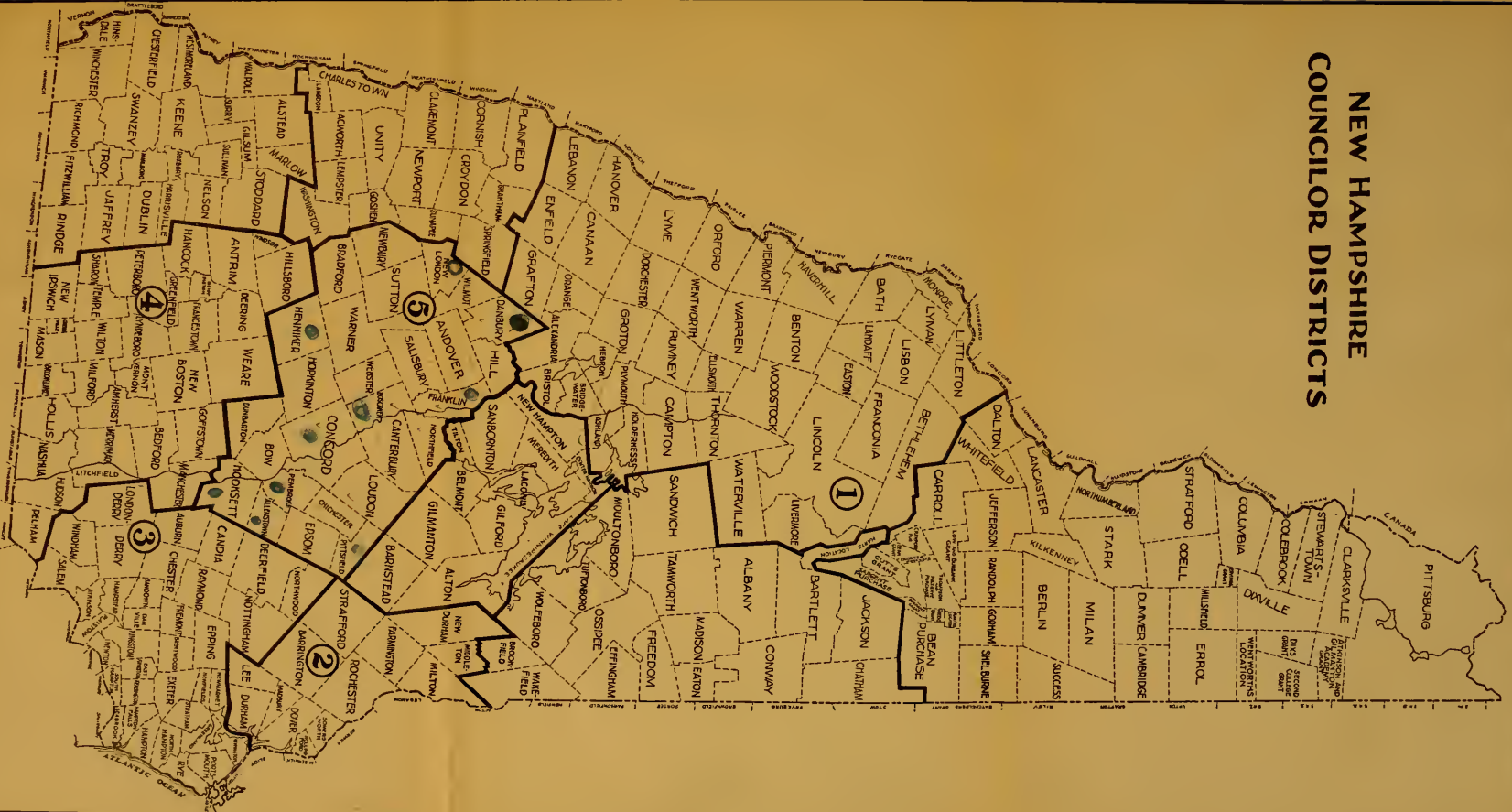
1. It shall be lawful to engage in play or in any sport or game involving physical skill on the Lord's Day in the Town of Allentown but it shall be unlawful to engage in public dancing, horse racing, boxing, prize fighting, wrestling, pool, billiards or bowling and no sport or game in connection with which an admission is charged or at which a donation is made or accepted shall be carried on before one o'clock in the afternoon. The selectmen may restrict the manner and areas upon which such public sports or games shall be conducted.

2. It shall be lawful for motion pictures, lectures, concerts and theatrical or vaudeville performances to be held on the Lord's Day in the town of Allentown but not before six o'clock in the afternoon, and such entertainment may be regulated by licensing or otherwise as the selectmen may deem best.

3. It shall be lawful to conduct such retail business as is not already permissible under Public Laws, Chapter 385, section 5, on the Lord's Day in the town of Allentown, but only of such merchandise and commodities as shall be designated by the selectmen and under such regulations as may be made by the selectmen.

4. Any person violating any of the provisions of these by-laws, or any rule or regulation made by the se-

# NEW HAMPSHIRE COUNCILOR DISTRICTS





lectmen pursuant thereto, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be liable to a penalty of not more than ten dollars.

16. To hear the reports of auditors, agents, committees, or officers heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.

17. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this twenty-second day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty-two.

HECTOR P. STOKES,  
GEORGE H. DESROCHES,  
AMEDEE BEAUCHESNE,  
*Selectmen of Allenstown.*

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF  
ESTIMATES OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE ENSUING  
ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES OF THE

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1931	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1932
FROM STATE:		
Insurance Tax .....	\$10.01	\$10.00
Railroad Tax .....	105.96	100.00
Savings Bank Tax .....	773.65	750.00
Interest and Dividend Tax .....	59.84	50.00
FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES:		
All Licenses and Permits except Dog Licenses .....	1,480.22	1,400.00
Fines and Forfeits .....	117.50	100.00
FROM POLL TAXES:		
From other taxes except property taxes	1,430.00	1,350.00
National Bank Stock .....	13.00	13.00
<i>Revenue Which Must be Paid to Other Governmental Divisions:</i>		
Dog Tax .....	91.80	92.00
Total Revenues from all Sources Except Property Taxes .....	\$4,081.98	\$3,865.00
Amount Raised by Property Taxes: .....	33,224.97	29,365.66
<b>TOTAL REVENUES .....</b>	<b>\$37,306.95</b>	<b>\$33,230.66</b>

## ALLENSTOWN, NEW HAMPSHIRE

YEAR FEBRUARY 1, 1932 TO JANUARY 31, 1933, COMPARED WITH  
PREVIOUS YEAR FEBRUARY 1, 1931 TO JANUARY 31, 1932

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1931	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1932
<i>Current Maintenance Expenses:</i>		
General Government:		
Town Officers' Salaries .....	\$1,270.00	\$1,135.00
Town Officers' Expenses .....	682.28	650.00
Election and Registration Expenses ....	176.32	275.00
Municipal Court Expenses .....	158.46	100.00
Care and Supplies for Town Hall .....	38.00	68.25
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police Department .....	1,861.61	1,600.00
Fire Department .....	1,326.19	1,300.00
Moth Extermination .....	400.00	.....
Health:		
Health Department .....	31.40	30.00
Vital Statistics .....	41.00	40.00
Highways and Bridges:		
State Aid Maintenance—		
Town's Contribution .....	3,048.77	3,080.00
Trunk Line Maintenance—		
Town's Contribution .....	245.65	470.00
Town Maintenance .....	4,800.55	3,500.00
Street Lighting .....	2,288.46	1,825.96
Education:		
Libraries .....	885.00	885.00
Charities:		
Town Poor .....	891.53	1,050.00
Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day and Other Celebrations..	50.00	50.00
Soldiers' Aid and G. A. R. Halls .....	129.00	100.00
Recreation:		
Parks and Playgrounds .....	100.00	.....
Public Service Enterprises:		
Sewer Maintenance .....	690.00	690.00
Interest:		
On Temporary Loans .....	381.06	375.00
On Long Term Notes .....	1,035.00	950.00
<i>Outlay for New Construction and</i>		
<i>Permanent Improvements:</i>		
Highways and Bridges:		
State Aid Construction—		
State's Contribution .....	409.34	.....
<i>Indebtedness:</i>		
Payment on Principal of Debt:		
Long Term Notes .....	1,700.00	1,000.00
<i>Payments to Other Governmental</i>		
<i>Divisions:</i>		
State Taxes .....	3,360.00	3,360.00
County Taxes .....	2,713.57	2,713.57
Payments to School Districts .....	8,612.81	7,982.88
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES .....</b>	<b>\$37,325.97</b>	<b>\$33,230.66</b>

## INVENTORY

Land and buildings .....	\$677,350.00
43 Horses .....	3,165.00
2 Oxen .....	100.00
91 Cows .....	5,060.00
7 Neat Stock .....	220.00
6 Sheep .....	64.00
328 Fowls .....	328.00
4 Vehicles .....	400.00
1 Portable Mill .....	1,200.00
10 Gasoline pumps and tanks .....	1,900.00
Stock in trade .....	421,113.42
Mills and machinery .....	527,825.00
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	\$1,638,725.42
Soldiers' exemptions .....	\$8,601.00



# APPROPRIATIONS

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Town charges .....	\$6,250.00
Municipal court expenses .....	100.00
Night officer .....	1,277.50
Fire Department .....	300.00
White pine blister rust .....	400.00
2 Street lights .....	50.00
Repairing Whitten Street .....	600.00
Library building fund .....	500.00
Highways by law .....	1,800
Library .....	385.00
Memorial day .....	50.00
Band concerts .....	100.00
Interest .....	1,510.00
State tax .....	3,360.00
State aid maintenance .....	5,100.00
County tax .....	2,713.57
School tax .....	8,882.88
Account of sewers .....	1,750.00
5% allowed .....	1,700.25
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	\$36,829.20
Credits from state, other sources .....	2,021.20
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	\$34,808.00
Rate per cent of taxation for all purposes ....	\$2.04
To be raised from property .....	\$33,430.00
Total poll taxes to collect .....	\$1,378.00

## SELECTMEN'S REPORT

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NOTE--Any townsman desiring to see the itemized bills of the town, or any other items in the report, may do so by calling on the regular meeting days of the Board of Selectmen on the first Saturday of each month between 2 and 4 p. m., when all bills will be at the disposal of all interested parties for inspection at all times.

### FUNDED INDEBTEDNESS OF TOWN

January 31, 1931 .....	\$20,700.00
Indebtedness for the fiscal year ending January 31, 1932 as follows:	
Note to Fred W. Morse, account of sewer ..	\$2,000.00
Note to Ernest Fontaine, Sr., account of sewer	2,000.00
Notes to Suncook Bank, account sewer .....	15,000.00
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### RECEIPTS

Receipts from all sources as per treas. report	\$53,567.22
Cash on hand February 1, 1931 .....	95.71
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Grand total receipts .....	\$53,662.93
Total expenditures .....	53,579.22
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Cash on hand February 1, 1932 .....	\$83.71
Taxes not collected, 1920 levy .....	67.81
Taxes not collected, 1921 levy .....	188.60
Taxes not collected, 1922 levy .....	464.10
Taxes not collected, 1923 levy .....	1,013.23
Due from auto permits, 1920 .....	224.03
Due from auto permits, 1921 .....	147.66
Due from Suncook Valley R. R. account fires	77.21

Due from E. Sanel, junk license, 1930 .....	15.00
Due from Plourde & Maillot, pool license 1931	20.00
Taxes not collected, 1931 levy .....	287.48
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Assets .....	\$2,588.83
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Due school, 1931 .....	\$3,957.88
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Excess liabilities over assets .....	\$1,369.05

## PAYMENTS

## Current Maintenance Expenses:

## General Government:

1. Town officers' salaries .....	\$1,270.00
2. Town officers' expenses .....	682.28
3. Elections and registrations .....	176.32
4. Municipal court expenses .....	158.46
5. Expenses town buildings .....	38.00

## Protection of Persons and Property:

6. Police department .....	1,861.61
7. Fire department, including forest fires...	1,326.19
8. White Pine Blister rust .....	400.00
10. Damage by dogs .....	52.00
11. Health department .....	31.40
12. Vital statistics .....	41.00

## Highways:

14. State aid maintenance .....	578.43
15. Trunk line maintenance .....	245.65
16. Town maintenance .....	4,800.55
17. Street lighting .....	2,288.46

## Library:

19. Library .....	385.00
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## Charities:

20. Town poor and old age assistance .....	891.53
21. County poor .....	1,541.42

## Patriotic Purposes:

22. Memorial Day exercises .....	50.00
23. Aid to soldiers' and their families .....	234.16

## Recreation:

24. Band concerts .....	100.00
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## Public Service Enterprises:

25. Appropriation to water utilities .....	690.00
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## Unclassified:

28. Legal expenses .....	75.00	
30. Refund on taxes .....	32.64	—
31. Library building fund .....	500.00	—

## Interest:

32. Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes .....	381.06	
33. Paid on long term notes .....	1,035.00	

Outlay for New Construction and Permanent  
Improvements:

38. Whitten and Granite streets .....	409.34	
39. Unemployment Relief fund .....	2,417.34	

## Indebtedness:

44. Payments on temporary loans in anticipa- tion of taxes .....	14,500.00	—
45. Payments on long term notes .....	1,700.00	—

## Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

51. County tax .....	3,360.00	
51. County tax .....	2,713.57	
53. School district .....	8,612.81	

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Total payments for all purposes ..... \$53,579.22

HECTOR P. STOKES,  
GEORGE H. DESROCHES,  
AMEDEE BEAUCHESNE,  
*Selectmen.*

**AUDITORS' REPORT**

Allenstown, N. H., Feb. 18, 1932.

We have carefully examined the books of the Selectmen and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

JOHN G. MARSTON,  
HENRY S. ROBERTS,  
*Auditors.*

## REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

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Money received from Auto Permits and Dog Licenses  
For Year Ending January 31, 1932.

Auto permits (1931) .....	\$662.65
Auto permits (1932) .....	647.37
Dog tax .....	91.80
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Total .....	\$1,401.82

PAUL Z. LEBLANC,  
*Town Clerk.*

## AUDITORS' REPORT

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Allenstown, N. H., Feb. 18, 1932.

We have carefully examined the books of Paul Z. LeBlanc, Town Clerk of Allenstown for the year ended Jan. 31, 1932, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

HENRY S. ROBERTS,  
JOHN G. MARSTON,  
*Auditors.*

## TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

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Amount to collect .....	\$34,808.00
Added after assessment .....	114.08
10 per cent interest .....	14.21

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\$34,936.29

Paid Alfred F. Dupont Treas., .....	\$34,604.49
Abated .....	44.32
Balance to collect .....	287.48

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\$34,936.29

### ABATEMENT

Wm. Anderson, ex-soldier .....	2.00
Emelia Chamberlain, gone .....	2.00
Willie Dandurant, gone .....	2.00
Ursula Dycus, taxed by error .....	2.00
Leonard Daneault, taxed by error .....	2.00
Elizabeth Gallien, taxed by error .....	2.00
Edward Gallien, taxed by error .....	2.00
Laura Girard, taxed by error .....	2.00
Christina Kroniac .....	2.00
Geo. Sawyer, paid in Pembroke .....	2.00
Angelina Dandurant .....	2.00
Aurea Daneault, over 70 .....	2.00
Theodore Hamel, over 70 .....	7.00
August Strupp, taxed by error .....	4.08
Abbie Newton, taxed by error .....	2.00
Louise A. Lerevers, taxed by error .....	6.12
Robert R. Lerevers, taxed by error .....	6.12

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\$44.32

WILLIE D. DANEULT,  
*Tax Collector.*

## AUDITORS' REPORT

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Allenstown, N. H., Feb. 18, 1932.

We have carefully examined the accounts of Willie D. Daneault, Tax Collector and find them correctly cast and all taxes accounted for.

JOHN G. MARSTON,  
HENRY S. ROBERTS,  
*Auditors.*



## TREASURER'S REPORT

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Cash on hand January 31, 1931 ..... \$95.71

By amount received from the following parties:

Paul A. Leblanc, auto permits .....	\$1,362.22
Paul Z. Leblanc, dog tax .....	93.80
Merrimack County, for support of poor ....	1,541.42
Merrimack County, aid to soldiers .....	105.16
Suncook Bank, temporary loans .....	14,500.00
Willie D. Daneault, tax, 1931 .....	34,604.49
B. L. Millen, court fines .....	117.50
Esdras Lavallee, overpaid—police duty ....	27.00
R. E. W. Osgood, taxes and interest .....	50.48
Levesque & Boisvert, pool license .....	10.00
Joseph Sansterre, show license .....	50.00
Slater & Smith, pool and bowling license ....	60.00
C. T. Patten, insurance tax .....	10.01
C. T. Patten, railroad tax .....	105.96
C. T. Patten, savings bank tax .....	773.65
C. T. Patten, abatement on state tax .....	30.60
Nat. State Capital Bank, 1931 tax on stock ..	13.00
— C. T. Patten, forest fires .....	45.92
— C. T. Patten, tax of income from interest and dividend .....	59.84
Raymond P. Connor, supplies .....	.62
Edward Hamel, telephone calls .....	.90
Arthur Gauthier, telephone calls .....	4.65

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Total ..... \$53,662.93

Total expenditures per order of selectmen ..... 53,579.22

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Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1932 ..... \$83.71

ALFRED F. DUPONT,  
*Treasurer.*

## AUDITORS' REPORT

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Allenstown, N. H., February 18, 1932.

We have carefully examined the books of Alfred F. Dupont, Town Treasurer and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

JOHN G. MARSTON,  
HENRY S. ROBERTS,  
*Auditors.*

## REPORT OF COMMISSIONER OF CHARITIES

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### COUNTY PAUPERS

Courana Chaput .....	\$145.75
Adelard Grandmaison .....	36.25
Albert Raymond .....	172.50
Ernest Laforte .....	277.47
John Piche .....	70.00
Louis Cantara .....	11.00
Ernest Gilbert .....	254.45
Alfred Nadeau .....	149.75
Wallace Chroniak .....	93.75
Alfred Duguay .....	24.85
Charles Quimby .....	107.40
Mrs. George Young .....	120.20
Mrs. Louis Perreault .....	37.50
Andrew Duford .....	17.30
Mrs. Rosana Dandurant .....	10.50
Transients .....	12.75
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	\$1,541.42
Soldiers' aid .....	105.16

### TOWN PAUPERS

Elphege Neveux .....	\$15.00
Victor Leclaire .....	425.60
Mrs. Alfredine Baillargeon .....	105.50
Desire Daneault .....	23.00
Hilaire Gelina .....	47.50
Mrs. Mike Burke .....	167.00
Katherine Gallien .....	40.00
Sam Auger .....	12.58
Oscar Martel .....	2.35

Germaine Baillargeon .....	4.00
Ernest Gilbert .....	4.00

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\$846.53

Soldiers' aid .....	129.00
Old Age Assistance .....	45.00

GEORGE H. DESROCHES,  
*Commissioner of Charities.*

### REPORT OF NIGHT OFFICER

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Lights out and reported .....	68
Doors found unlocked but secured .....	88
Lodgers .....	70
Gasoline pumps found unlocked .....	17
Brought before court .....	4

RAYMOND P. CONNOR,  
*Night Officer.*

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

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### DETAIL No. 1. TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Edward Hamel, fire warden, salary for 1930 ..	\$50.00
Edward Hamel, fire warden, salary for 1931...	50.00
Henry S. Roberts, auditor .....	10.00
John G. Marston, auditor .....	10.00
Hector P. Stokes, selectman .....	300.00
Geo. H. Desroches, selectman and commissioner of charities .....	200.00
Amedee Beauchesne, selectman .....	150.00
Willie D. Daneault, tax collector .....	300.00
Paul Z. LeBlanc, town clerk .....	75.00
Alfred F. Dupont, treasurer .....	125.00
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Total .....	\$1,270.00

### DETAIL No. 2. TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Hector P. Stokes, attending assessors' meeting, supplies assessors' convention .....	\$21.24
George H. Desroches, attending assessors' and highway dept. meetings, perambulation, supplies, auto hire, assessors' convention...	52.05
Amedee Beauchesne, attending assessors' and highway dept. meetings, perambulation, supplies, assessors' convention .....	49.10
Peerless Casualty Company, bond for tax col- lector .....	32.00
Peerless Casualty Company, bond for treasurer	40.00
Granite State Press, printing reports .....	138.00
Automotive Service Bureau .....	17.15
Henry Hamel, perambulation .....	7.20
Alfred F. Dupont, stamps .....	3.00
George W. Fowler, bond for town clerk .....	5.00

Willie D. Daneault, assessors' meeting, stamps, auto hire, assessors' convention .....	33.00
Edson C. Eastman, supplies .....	40.84
A. W. Rowell, N. H. Assessors' Assn. ....	2.00
The Valley Times, printing .....	5.35
Ovila W. Connor, auto hire (2 trips to Concord)	10.00
H. K. Rogers, perambulation .....	48.85
Edmund H. Brown, register of deeds .....	1.02
Granite State Press, tax bills .....	4.75
Suncook Mills, rent .....	51.99
Paul Z. LeBlanc, auto permits, supplies, attend- ing convention .....	103.08
Suncook Bank, supplies, frt. charges .....	16.66
Total .....	<hr/> \$682.28

#### DETAIL NO. 3. ELECTIONS AND REGISTRATIONS

Granite State Press, printing check lists .....	\$27.00
Raymond P. Connor, supervisor, cleaning station, supplies .....	31.82
Arthur L. Gauthier, supervisor .....	30.00
Hector L. Emond, supervisor .....	30.00
Levesque & Boisvert, lunch .....	12.50
James E. Welch, setting up booths, special duty.	3.00
A. J. Morency, moderator .....	20.00
Auguste Demers, ballot clerk .....	5.00
Alfred Courtemanche, Sr., ballot clerk .....	5.00
Amedee Courtemanche, ballot clerk .....	5.00
Samuel Webster, ballot clerk .....	5.00
Wallace Mastine, setting up booths .....	2.00
Total .....	<hr/> \$176.32

#### DETAIL NO. 4. MUNICIPAL COURT EXPENSES

B. L. Millen, justice .....	\$158.46
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## DETAIL No. 5. EXPENSES TOWN BUILDINGS

Hector P. Stokes, insurance .....	\$38.00
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## DETAIL No. 6. POLICE DEPARTMENT

Suncook Mills, rent .....	\$155.97
George H. Desroches, auto hire, supplies .....	9.90
James E. Welch, night officer, prohibition agent .....	222.35
Raymond P. Connor, night officer .....	1,018.85
Ernest Daneault, auto hire, special officer .....	25.50
Edward LeBlanc, special officer .....	13.00
Eugene Drolet, special officer .....	17.50
Alfred Desmarais, wood .....	5.75
New England Tel. & Tel. Co. ....	5.10
John B. Connor, special officer .....	5.00
Geo. E. Gordon & Co., supplies .....	1.20
Lewis W. Cass, services, auto hire, assistance..	15.00
Esdras Lavallee, special officer, night duty ....	142.50
Archille Lefebvre, special officer, night duty....	41.50
W. S. Darley & Co., supplies .....	12.34
Menard & Stokes, supplies .....	.90
Arthur L. Desmarais, supplies .....	1.15
Public Service Co. of N. H. ....	13.40
N. H. Auto List Co. ....	12.50
F. W. Saltmarsh, coal .....	64.00
John B. Varick, supplies for police officers ....	78.20

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Total .....	\$1,861.61
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DETAIL No. 7. FIRE DEPARTMENT, INCLUDING  
FOREST FIRES

Edward Hamel, fire warden .....	\$813.72
George H. Desroches, supplies .....	1.25
Raymond P. Connor, labor .....	7.60
Morse Furniture Co., supplies .....	6.52
Hector P. Stokes, insurance on truck .....	5.00

Arthur L. Desmarais, supplies .....	5.92
Willie D. Daneault, gasoline .....	3.20
Menard & Stokes, gasoline .....	1.60
George's Garage, labor, supplies .....	13.80
Cedar Street Garage, labor .....	3.00
John B. Varick Co., supplies .....	22.50
W. S. Cass, supplies .....	1.80
Plourde's Express .....	1.25
Suncook Mills, rent of land .....	5.00
F. W. Saltmarsh, coal .....	113.50
Scott E. Hardy, attending conference .....	4.75
Elmer B. Knox, attending conference .....	7.30
Frank P. Young, Jr. forest fires .....	56.52
Public Service Co. of N. H. ....	27.52
New England Tel. & Tel. Co. ....	40.90
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Total .....	\$1,142.65

## SPECIAL APPROPRIATION

Farrell Bros., supplies .....	\$26.25
C. B. Hardy, supplies .....	60.50
Louis I. Gagne, ladder .....	20.00
Arthur H. Blanchard Co. ....	48.07
Raymond P. Connor, labor and supplies .....	4.60
Wallace Mastine, labor and supplies .....	8.93
Alvah N. Girard, labor and supplies .....	5.19
Alfred Desrosier, labor and supplies .....	10.00
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Total .....	\$183.54

## DETAIL NO. 8. CONTROL OF WHITE PINE BLISTER RUST

New Hampshire Forestry Commission .....	\$400.00
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## DETAIL No. 10. DAMAGE BY DOGS

A. H. Batchelder, burying sheep .....	\$6.00
George H. Desroches, auto hire and services..	5.00
Amedee Beauchesne, trip to back part of town..	2.00
Ernest Daneault, auto hire .....	2.00
Louis I. Gagne, killing sheep .....	2.00
Hormidas L. Houston, rabbits killed .....	35.00
Total .....	<hr/> \$52.00

## DETAIL No. 11. HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Whitney's Pharmacy, supplies .....	\$2.40
G. M. Crowell, M. D., services .....	5.00
B. L. Freeman, M. D., services .....	5.00
Willie D. Daneault, services .....	19.00
Total .....	<hr/> \$31.40

## DETAIL No. 12. VITAL STATISTICS

Paul Z. LeBlanc .....	\$41.00
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## DETAIL No. 14. STATE AID MAINTENANCE

John N. Letendre, auto hire and posting notices	\$3.00
State Highway Department .....	575.43
Total .....	<hr/> \$578.43

## DETAIL No. 15. TRUNK LINE MAINTENANCE

Alfred Gauthier, Sr., labor .....	\$245.65
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DETAIL No. 16. TOWN MAINTENANCE  
DISTRICT No. 1

Bailey Lumber Co., lumber, cement .....	\$18.25
Victor R. Girard, labor .....	26.00

Alfred P. Girard, labor .....	21.45
Menard & Stokes, gasoline and oil .....	6.25
Levesque & Boisvert, gasoline and oil .....	7.13
Willie D. Daneault, gasoline and oil .....	8.45
Hector P. Stokes, insurance on tractor, rent ....	39.45
Hilaire Drolet, use of land for rubbish .....	25.00
Fontaine Bros., supplies .....	.96
Arthur Richard, gravel .....	13.40
Edward Hamel, painting signs .....	5.00
Alfred Gauthier, Sr., labor .....	2,577.58
Raymond P. Connor, labor .....	1.00
Barrett Co., tarvia .....	36.04
Chas. A. Bailey, gravel and supplies.....	58.17
W. S. Cass, supplies .....	47.77
Gedeon Petite, labor and supplies .....	11.90
Gamache and Menard, bricks .....	4.50
Rev. L. P. Routhier, gravel .....	12.30
George's Garage, labor and supplies .....	4.83
Percy Desroches, labor .....	8.10
Ovila W. Connor, labor .....	6.75
Total .....	\$2,942.28

## DISTRICTS No. 2 AND 3

Victor R. Girard, labor .....	\$36.00
Alfred P. Girard, labor .....	43.05
Walter S. Swan, gasoline and oil .....	31.65
Hector P. Stokes, insurance on tractor .....	3.45
Menard & Stokes, gasoline .....	3.19
Jos. Lagasse, labor .....	7.00
Alphonse Couture, Jr., labor .....	1,337.42
Bailey Lumber Co., lumber .....	5.26
W. S. Cass, supplies .....	25.11
George H. Desroches, supplies .....	6.25
George Houle, labor .....	15.00
Vital Houle, labor ....	12.50

George's Garage, labor and supplies .....	9.66
Ovila W. Connor, labor .....	6.75
Percy Desroches, labor .....	8.10
Raymond P. Connor, labor .....	1.00
C. A. Bailey, supplies .....	6.88
Total .....	<u>\$1,558.27</u>

## DETAIL No. 17. STREET LIGHTING

Public Service Co. of N. H. (1930) .....	\$443.50
Public Service Co. of N. H. (1931) .....	1,844.96
Total .....	<u>\$2,288.46</u>

## DETAIL No. 19. LIBRARY

Grace S. Marston, treasurer .....	\$200.00
Geo. W. Fowler, insurance .....	35.00
Grace S. Marston, librarian .....	150.00
Total .....	<u>\$385.00</u>

## DETAIL No. 20. TOWN POOR

Arthur L. Desmarais, groceries, rent .....	\$441.00
Fontaine Bros., groceries .....	114.00
Lemaire & Rainville, groceries .....	73.50
J. E. Rainville, shoes and rubbers .....	10.35
Alfred Desmarais, wood .....	5.75
Frank Houle, wood .....	93.00
Bailey Lumber Co., wood .....	10.00
B. L. Freeman, M. D., services .....	8.00
N. H. Children's Aid and Protective Society...	40.00
Victor Lamy, shoes repaired .....	2.35
Mrs. A. Fremeau, supplies .....	1.58
Mrs. Jenness S. Dearborn, rent .....	45.00

Oscar O. Fontaine, clothing .....	2.00
Total .....	<u>\$846.53</u>

*Old Age Assistance*

Frank Sargent .....	\$45.00
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## DETAIL No. 21. COUNTY POOR

Arthur L. Desmarais, groceries .....	\$680.20
Fontaine Bros., groceries .....	218.00
W. S. Swan, groceries .....	107.40
J. E. Rainville, shoes and rubbers .....	170.17
Arthur Richard, milk .....	9.00
Alfred Desmarais, wood and milk .....	71.15
Amedee Beauchesne, milk .....	70.80
Joseph Poisson, wood .....	3.00
Frank Houle, wood, burial of J. Piche .....	127.75
B. Courtemanche, care of Mrs. E. Young .....	19.00
Oscar O. Fontaine, clothing .....	37.20
Raymond P. Connor, feeding transients .....	6.75
Edw. A. LeBlanc, taking transient to County Farm .....	6.00
Victor Lamy, repairing shoes .....	10.50
H. A. Lavallee, clothing .....	4.50
Total .....	<u>\$1,541.42</u>

## DETAIL No. 22. MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCE

Albert Ritchotte, Treas., American Legion ....	\$50.00
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## DETAIL No. 23. AID TO SOLDIERS AND THEIR FAMILIES

*Town Soldiers' Aid*

J. E. Larochelle, M. D. ....	\$80.00
N. D. Hospital .....	49.00
Total .....	<u>\$129.00</u>

*County Soldiers' Aid*

Arthur L. Desmarais, groceries .....	\$93.16
Frank Houle, wood .....	12.00
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Total .....	\$105.16

## DETAIL No. 24. SUNCOOK UNION CORNET BAND

Suncook Union Cornet band .....	\$100.00	— 8
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DETAIL No. 25. HYDRANT SERVICE

John O. Bellerose, superintendent .....	\$345.00	2
Pembroke Water Works .....	345.00	
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Total .....	\$690.00	

## DETAIL No. 28. LEGAL EXPENSES

A. F. Burbank, services .....	\$75.00	— 1
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## DETAIL No. 30. REFUND ON TAXES

Willie D. Daneault, overtaxed on pumps and tanks .....	\$4.08	
Arthur L. Desmarais, overtaxed on pumps and tanks .....	6.12	
Mexican Petroleum Corp., overtaxed on pumps and tanks .....	6.12	
Walter S. Swan, overtaxed on pumps and tanks .....	4.08	
Bailey Lumber Co., overtaxed on portable mill..	12.24	
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Total .....	\$32.64	✓ 15

## DETAIL No. 31. LIBRARY BUILDING FUND

Deposited in the Suncook bank .....	\$500.00	— 16
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## DETAIL NO. 32. INTEREST ON TEMPORARY LOANS

The Suncook bank .....	\$381.06
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## DETAIL NO. 33. INTEREST ON LONG TERM NOTES

Ernest Fontaine .....	\$100.00
Fred W. Morse .....	100.00
The Suncook bank .....	835.00

Total .....	\$1,035.00
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## DETAIL NO. 38. WHITTEN AND GRANITE STREETS

*Whitten Street*

Alfred Gauthier, agent .....	\$179.34
Barrett Co., tarvia .....	150.00

Total .....	\$329.34
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*Granite Street*

Barrett Co., tarvia .....	\$80.00
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## DETAIL NO. 39. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF FUND

Alphonse Couture, Jr., agent .....	\$2,186.90
George H. Desroches .....	21.80
Ovila Montminy, supplies .....	50.60
Bailey Lumber Co. ....	158.04

Total .....	\$2,417.34
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DETAIL NO. 44. PAYMENTS ON TEMPORARY LOANS IN  
ANTICIPATION OF TAXES

The Suncook bank .....	\$14,500.00
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## DETAIL NO. 45. PAYMENTS ON LONG TERM NOTES

The Suncook bank .....	\$1,700.00
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## DETAIL No. 50. STATE TAX

Chas. T. Patten .....	\$3,360.00
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## DETAIL No. 51. COUNTY TAX

John L. T. Shaw .....	\$2,713.57
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## DETAIL No. 53. SCHOOL DISTRICT

Eugene N. Fontaine, treasurer .....	\$8,517.76
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Eugene N. Fontaine, treasurer (1930 dog tax)	95.05
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Total .....	\$8,612.81
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## KENISON SPECIAL APPROPRIATION

Alphonse Couture, Jr., labor .....	\$300.00
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## LIBRARY BUILDING FUND

Deposits and interest in The Suncook bank....	\$2,081.57
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## REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

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Evans Cemetery fund .....	\$275.00
Accumulated earnings .....	71.92
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On hand January 31, 1932 .....	\$346.92

JOHN J. CONNOR,  
JOHN G. MARSTON,  
ALEXANDER J. MORENCY,  
*Trustees of Trust Funds.*

## AUDITORS' REPORT

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I have examined the accounts of the Trustees of Trust Funds for the town of Allenstown and find a balance on hand as of January 31, 1932 of \$346.92.

HENRY S. ROBERTS,  
*Auditor.*



## REPORT OF WHITE PINE BLISTER RUST

### FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Town 1931 appropriation .....	\$400.00	
State aid .....	100.00	
Town and state balance (1930) ....	2.99	
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Total available .....		\$502.99
Crew wages .....	\$475.72	
Expenses .....	22.64	
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Total expended .....		498.36
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Town and state balance .....		\$4.63
Town balance .....	\$3.70	
State balance .....	.93	
Currant and gooseberry bushes destroyed.....		57,018
Area covered .....		1,376 acres
Average cost per acre .....		\$0.36

J. H. FOSTER,  
*State Forester.*

## ALLENSTOWN LIBRARY REPORT

### RECEIPTS

From town .....	\$200.00	R 14
Fines and rentals .....	13.39	R 10
Balance from 1931 .....	5.34	10
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Total .....	\$218.73	✓

### EXPENDITURES

Goodman's Bookstore .....	\$112.34	
Junior Literary Guild .....	37.00	
Library Book House .....	31.16	
Magazines .....	27.50	
Cash for books .....	5.00	
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	\$213.00	✓ P 1
Balance on hand .....	\$5.73	✓ 16

GRACE S. MARSTON,  
EDITH S. WATTLES,  
WESLEY E. TYRRELL,

*Trustees.*

January 31, 1932.

## REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

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Number of volumes issued during year:

Adult fiction .....	2,597
Juvenile fiction .....	1,094
Magazines .....	445

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Total circulation .....

4,136

Number of volumes in Library ..... 3,594

Fines and rentals ..... \$13.39

GRACE S. MARSTON,  
*Librarian.*

January 31, 1932.

### BOOKS PURCHASED DURING YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1932

Abbott, Jane, "Kitty Frew"  
 Abbott, Jane, "Bouquet Hill."  
 Aldrich, Bess S., "A White Bird Flying."  
 Aspinwall, Marguerite, "The Wind from Spain."  
 Appleton, Victor, "Tom Swift and His Sky Train,"  
 Appleton, Victor, "Tom Swift and His Giant Magnet."  
 Bailey, Arthur S., "The Tale of Frisky Squirrel."  
 Bacon, Peggy, "The Terrible Nuisance."  
 Barnes, Margaret A., "Westward Passage."  
 Barnes, Margaret A., "Years of Grace."  
 Baynes, Ernest H., "Wild Life in the Blue Mountain  
 Forest."  
 Bagnold, Enid, "Alice and Thomas and Jane."  
 Bassett, Sara W., "Bayberry Lane."  
 Beard, Dan., "Boy Heroes of Today."  
 Bindloss, Harold, "The Border Trail."  
 Bindloss, Harold, "The Prairie Patrol."

Boy Scout's Book of Good Turn Stories.  
 Bower, B. M., "Laughing Water."  
 Bower, B. M., "Dark Horse."  
 Bower, B. M., "The Long Loop."  
 Broster, D. K., "The Gleam in the North."  
 Broster, D. K., "The Flight of Heron."  
 Bronson, Wilfred, "Paddlewings."  
 Brand, Max, "Smiling Charlie."  
 Bryan, Geo. S., "Edison."  
 Brush, Katherine, "Red-headed Woman."  
 Burnett, W. R., "Little Caesar."  
 Chamber, Robert, "The Flaming Jewel."  
 Charnley, Mitchell O., "Play the Game."  
 Clevely, Hugh, "Call the Yard."  
 Colver, Alice R., "Windymere."  
 Cobb, Irvin S., "Incredible Truth."  
 Cullum, Ridgewell, "The Bull Moose."  
 Curwood, James, "Swift Lightning."  
 Dell, Ethel M., "Storm Drift,"  
 Dell, Ethel M., "The Silver Bride."  
 Deeping, Warwick, "The Bridge of Desire."  
 Deeping, Warwick, "The Ten Commandments."  
 Diver, Maud, "Ships of Youth."  
 Dobie, J. Frank, "Caronados Children."  
 Eaton, Jeanette, "A Daughter of the Seine."  
 Elizabeth, "Father."  
 Ellsberg, Edward, "On the Bottom."  
 Farnol, Jeffrey, "A Jade of Destiny."  
 Ferber, Edna, "American Beauty."  
 Ferris, Helen, "Love Comes Riding."  
 France, Anatole, "Our Children."  
 Gaither, Frances, "The Painted Arrow."  
 Glaspell, Susan, "Ambrose Holt and Family."  
 Gibbs, Philip, "The Winding Lane."  
 Green, Anne, "Reader, I Married Him."  
 Grey, Zane, "Arizona Ames."

Gregory, Jackson, "The Silver Star."  
 Hayward, Du Bose, "Mamba's Daughters."  
 Hill, Grace L., "Silver Wings."  
 Hill, Grace L., "The Chance of a Life Time."  
 Hill, Grace L., "Kerry."  
 Hendryx, James B., "Corporal Downey takes the Trail."  
 Kelley, Eric, "The Blacksmith of Vilno."  
 Keyes, Frances P., "Lady Blanche Farm."  
 Kerr, Sophie, "In for a Penny."  
 Kent, Rockwell, "N by E."  
 Kyne, Peter B., "The Gringo Privateer."  
 Lattimore, Eleanor F., "Little Pear."  
 Larrimore, Lida, "The Silver Flute."  
 Loyd, Geo. L. and Gilman, James, "Airmen and Wings."  
 Lincoln, Freeman, "Sam."  
 Marshall, Edison, "The Doctor of Lonesome River."  
 Mason, A. E. W., "The Dean's Elbow."  
 MacGrath, Harold, "The Other Passport."  
 McNeer, May, "Tales from the Crescent Moon."  
 Medder, Stephen J., "Red Horse Hill."  
 Mihn, Louise J., "The Vintage of Yan Yee."  
 Mihn, Louise J., "Two People."  
 Millis, Walter, "The Martial Spirit."  
 Mitchell, Lucy S., "North America."  
 Mowery, Wm., "Singer of the Wilderness."  
 Marrow, Honore, "Black Daniel."  
 Montgomery, L. M., "A Tangled Web."  
 Norris, Kathleen, "Belle-Mere."  
 O'Brien, John S., "By Dog-sled for Byrd."  
 Olver, Edith, "Dwarf's Blood."  
 Oppenheim, E. P., "Simple Peter Cradd."  
 Oppenheim, E. P., "The Man from Sing Sing."  
 Oppenheim, E. P., "Up the Ladder of Gold."  
 Ostenso, Martha, "The Water under the Earth."  
 Ostenso, Martha, "The Young May Moon."  
 Parker, Gilbert, "The Power and the Glory."

Parkman, Francis, "The Oregon Trail."  
 Peddler, Margaret, "Kindled Flame."  
 Prouty, Olive H., "White Fawn."  
 Reed, Meredith, "The Glory Trail."  
 Remarque, Erich M., "The Road Back."  
 Richmond, Grace, "Red Pepper Returns."  
 Roche, Mazo de La, "Finch's Fortune."  
 Roberts, Kenneth, "The Lively Lady."  
 Ruck, Berta, "Dance Partner."  
 Ruck, Berta, "Offer of Marriage."  
 Seton, Ernest T., "The Book of Wood Craft."  
 Seton, Graham, "The Sign of Arnim."  
 Seabrook, Graham, "God of the Ivory Coast."  
 Smith, Harriet, "Pollyanna's Debt of Honor."  
 Snaith, J. C., "The Unforeseen."  
 Thompson, Sylvia, "Summer's Night."  
 Waller, Mary E., "The Windmill on the Dune."  
 Walker, Joseph, "How They Carried the Mail."  
 Wells, Carolyn, "Horror House."  
 Wentworth, Patricia, "Beggar's Choice."  
 Wentworth, Patricia, "Danger Calling."  
 Whipple, Margaret, "The Kirbys."  
 Wilson, Harry L., "Two Black Sheep."  
 Wynne, Anthony, "The Silver Scale Mystery."

## MAGAZINES

Woman's Home Companion	National Geographic
American	Popular Mechanics
Good Housekeeping	St. Nicholas
Harper's	Scribners
House Beautiful	World's Work
Delineator	

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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### *To the School Board and Citizens:*

I herewith submit my nineteenth annual report of the schools of Allentown, for the year ending June 30, 1931.

There were maintained during the year, four schools for a school-year of 37 weeks, with no change in the teaching force.

The school enrollment was 101, with a daily average attendance of 96.83 per cent.

The schools were in session on an average of 360 half-days.

Of the four teachers employed, all are graduates of a normal school.

### HEALTH

Hygiene, sanitation and physiology are taught in all our schools with emphasis placed upon pure foods, pure water, need of ventilation, and the evil effects of alcohol, nicotine, and narcotics.

Health inspection of the school children by our school nurse covers all contagious and infectious diseases, and most of the bodily defects, seeking to equip our pupils with good physical development and vigorous health. The school nurse, Miss Douillette, by her fidelity and industry, has succeeded in having many defects remedied and has had the hearty co-operation of parents, physicians and surgeons.

### CHILD TRAINING

The principal training-ground for the child's mind is the home and the school. History, pointing out that our present civilization has developed as a result of conflict and strife, shows that the problems and difficulties overcome by

the child at home and at school determine his behaviour, ambitions, and in fact the whole course of his existence.

As in childhood the teeth and gums need hard food to chew and the muscles need resistance to work against, so the child's mind needs worthy problems and difficulties to contend with and conquer both for his present happiness and future welfare.

Parent and teacher should realize that it is the duty of the child to do the work, and their duty to direct how the work is to be done without waste of time and energy. The early New England home in which each member of the family had its daily tasks to perform, is a valuable lesson for modern parents to learn and to heed.

The advice of a few educators,—(only a few), to assign only agreeable work to the child, is unwise and fallacious. The greatest happiness and success in life comes from the accomplishment of worthy deeds; as one noted educator said "in getting the thing done." Unless the individual, through his own thought-process, gains knowledge, can he hope that his knowledge will serve him in his time of need?

#### SCHOOL CONDITIONS

The work in our schools is being well done. The teachers are industrious, and are carrying out the state program of study with a well-planned daily time-table, and are supervising the conduct of the pupils on the play-grounds.

The few disciplinary troubles, chiefly caused by the lack of home training and parental government, make the duty of the teacher more difficult, the school life of the pupil less pleasant and his work less efficient.

The work in music, domestic science and manual training was conducted successfully.

The school board is deeply interested in the welfare of the pupils and is furnishing every means in its power for good schools. It is actively co-operating with the teachers



and superintendent that the pupil may have such an education as will prepare him for complete living.

Parents and citizens are invited to visit the schools frequently and parents are asked to examine carefully the report cards sent to them for their signatures. These cards are to inform the parents of the work done by the pupil, and of his conduct; teachers will gladly explain any report not understood.

In conclusion I express my appreciation for the co-operation and assistance given to me by the teachers, the school board and the citizens.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY S. ROBERTS,  
*Superintendent.*

## REPORT OF TEACHER OF DOMESTIC SCIENCE

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*Mr. Henry S. Roberts, Superintendent of Schools:*

DEAR SIR:

In submitting the annual report of the Domestic Science classes, I will give a summary of the work accomplished in both sewing and cooking.

In the cooking classes the pupils have been taught:

To economize both in the buying and in the use of left-overs.

To know how to set a table correctly and how to serve properly any meal.

To take care of cooking utensils and kitchen equipment.

To correlate school activities with home life.

Our projects were based upon the proper dishes to serve for breakfast, dinner and supper or lunch.

In sewing the following principles have been taught:

To be able to use the simpler stitches in the making of simple articles.

To master the easier processes in the care and usage of the sewing machine.

To mend torn clothing and make over worn garments in order to get more service from them.

To be able to understand directions on commercial patterns and to do some of the easier cutting out of articles made.

Our projects have been cooking aprons, dish towels, holders, plain and fancy towels, pillow cases, remodelled clothing, dresses, patchwork, underwear and table runners.

Throughout the year we have had the hearty co-opera-

tion of parents, school board, superintendent, and citizens in carrying on this work. To them I extend my sincere thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

EDNA BENWARE,  
*Teacher of Domestic Science.*

## REPORT OF MUSIC TEACHER

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*Mr. Henry S. Roberts, Superintendent of Schools:*

The regular work in music which comprises rote singing, sight singing in unison, two, three and four parts, has been made more interesting through the medium of the Music Hour series, which is now in use through the entire school.

In addition to singing, the classes have learned something of the lives of the great musicians, and have studied some of their works, learning the themes of many of them, and thus being better able to recognize them.

Written work has also been a part of the program, some original and also from copy or dictation.

Special days have been observed in song, beginning with Columbus Day, and ending with the close of school in June, while extra programs were given by Miss Montgomery's and Mrs. Benware's classes, the former giving a musical play and the latter a radio program during National Music Week.

Another additional entertainment was furnished on Memorial Day by the boys and girls in Mrs. Bailey's class who presented an operetta.

Mrs. Wattles' class furnished the music for graduation.

Another year's work has ended, made pleasant by the cooperation of townspeople, school board, teachers and superintendent.

Respectfully submitted,

MARTHA F. GALE.

## REPORT OF ANNUAL EXAMINATION AND FOLLOW UP WORK

Defects	Number of pupils affected	Pupils reported to parents	Pupils receiving treatment	Number of defects corrected
Underweights .....	9	7	4	..
Defective vision .....	16	13	2	5
Defective hearing .....	1	..	1	..
Nervous condition .....	3	3	1	..
Cardiac disease .....	1	1	1	..
Pulmonary disease .....	1	1	1	..
Deformity .....	2	1	..	1
Defective teeth .....	49	18	..	26
Disease tonsils .....	4	2	..	2
Adenoids .....	2	2	..	2
Defective speech .....	1	..	..	..
Enlarged glands .....	2	2	..	..

### CASES OF COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

Chicken pox .....	6	Pediculosis .....	1
Mumps .....	2	Skin .....	2
Whooping cough .....	3		

### SPECIAL WORK

Orthopedic, Balch hospital, treated by Dr. Jones....	1
T. B., Pembroke, treated by Dr. Kerr .....	10
Throat, Elliot hospital, treated by Dr. Togus .....	5
Total number of school visits .....	140
Number of pupils examined .....	90

I thank the school board, the superintendent of schools, teachers, parents and all others who have helped to promote the health work in the schools.

Respectfully submitted,

ADONIA A. DOUILLETTE, R. N..

## ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

James Anderson, Stanley Newton, Harry Knox, Avard Milbury, Sylvia Fanny, Rose Mandatori, Walter Osgood, Ruth Bailey, Fortika Pasdekis, Dorothy Guilbeault, Marion Milbury.

### SCHOOL CALENDAR, 1932-1933

First term begins Sept. 6 and ends Dec. 23	15 weeks
Thanksgiving recess Nov. 19 and ends Nov. 27	
Second term begins Jan. 9, 1933 and ends Feb. 24	7 weeks
Third term begins March 6 and ends April 21	7 weeks
Fourth term begins May 1 and ends June 23	8 weeks

### HOLIDAYS IN NEW HAMPSHIRE

Independence Day, Labor Day, Columbus Day, Armistice Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Washington's Birthday, Fast Day, Memorial Day, Institute Days.

GRADUATION EXERCISES  
of the Class of 1931  
ALLENSTOWN GRAMMAR SCHOOL

*Program*

- Processional  
Song, "All Hail, O Shining Stripes and Stars" *Geibel*  
Invocation, Rev. Edwin S. Tasker  
Song, "The Recessional" (words by Kipling) *Gow*  
Essay, "The Story of Clara Barton"  
Margaret Louise Eaton  
Song by Girls, "Bendemeer's Stream" Irish Folk Tune  
Recitation, "Nobility" *Cary*  
John Andrew Chroniak  
Song, "To a Marching Tune" *Parks*  
Boys  
Piano Solo, (a) "Black Hawk Waltz" *Walsh*  
(b) "Menuet in G, No. 2" *Beethoven*  
Ruth E. Bailey, Grade VI  
Essay, "The Holy Grail in Literature and Art"  
Marion Ardelle Milbury  
Three-Part Song, "Gleam, Gleam O Silver Stream" *Drake*  
Presentation of Diplomas Rev. Edwin S. Tasker  
Solo and Chorus, "The House by the Side of the Road"  
*Foss-Gulesian*  
Timothy J. Scannell, Grade VI

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GRADUATES

President, Marion Ardelle Milbury  
Margaret Louise Eaton John Andrew Chroniak

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Class Motto, "Nobility Wins"  
Class Colors, Blue and White

ATTENDANCE TABLE FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1931

	Whole No. pupils registered		a. In another public school in district			b. In a public school in another district			c. In a private school in state			No. pupils registered not registered elsewhere	
	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	
Grades 1 and 2 .....	11	7	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17
Grades 3 and 4 .....	16	14	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30
Grades 4 and 5 .....	18	11	29	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	28
Grades 6, 7 and 8 .....	11	13	24	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	23
Total .....	56	45	101	0	0	0	1	2	3	0	0	0	98

ALLENSTOWN



ATTENDANCE TABLE FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1931

ALLENSTOWN	Length of school year in half-days	No. half-days lost	No. half-days attendance	No. half-days absence	Average daily attendance	Average daily absence	Average memberships	Per cent of attendance	No. of tardinesses	Non-resident pupils	Visits by superintendent	Visits by school board	Visits by citizens	Pupils not absent or tardy
Grades 1 and 2 .....	370	10	5,671	323	15.75	.89	16.64	94.47	27	0	33	0	25	0
Grades 3 and 4 .....	370	10	8,810	196	24.44	.54	24.98	97.83	5	2	41	0	21	2
Grades 4 and 5 .....	370	10	8,439	331	23.44	.91	24.35	96.26	28	0	32	0	23	4
Grades 6, 7 and 8 .....	370	10	7,877	169	21.88	.46	22.34	97.90	8	1	39	2	45	5
Total .....	370	10	30,797	1,019	85.51	2.80	88.31	96.83	68	3	145	2	114	11

## FINANCIAL REPORT OF ALLENSTOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

For the Year Ending June 30, 1931

### *Receipts*

Income from local taxation for the support of elementary schools .....	\$6,762.76
For the payment of high school and academy tuition .....	1,000.00
For the salaries of district officers .....	211.00
For Truant officer and school census .....	120.00
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Total .....	\$8,093.76
Dog licenses .....	\$95.05
Elementary tuition .....	135.00
Refund .....	6.05
Money borrowed .....	37.72
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Total .....	\$273.82
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Total receipts from all sources .....	\$8,367.58
Cash on hand July, 1930 .....	460.66
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Grand total .....	\$8,828.24

### *Payments*

Salaries of District officers .....	\$11.00
Superintendent's excess salary .....	220.00
Truant officer and school census .....	120.00
Expenses of administration .....	40.55
Principal's and teachers' salaries .....	4,302.50
Text books .....	83.14
Scholars' supplies .....	137.62

Flags and appurtenances .....	8.52
Janitor service .....	500.00
Water, light, janitor's supplies .....	90.43
Minor repairs and expenses .....	362.32
Medical inspection, health supervision .....	200.00
Transportation of pupils .....	1,267.00
High school and academy tuition .....	1,014.00
<del>Tax</del> Tax for state-wide supervision .....	218.00
New equipment .....	53.16
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Total payment for all purposes .....	\$8,828.24

June 30, 1931.

ROGER W. FOWLER,  
GRACE S. MARSTON,  
BURT L. MILLER,

*School Board.*

## SCHOOL BUDGET FOR 1932-1933

Support of elementary schools .....	\$6,451.88
Salaries of district officers .....	211.00
Truant officer and school census .....	120.00
Medical inspection, school nurse .....	200.00
Tuition in academy .....	1,000.00
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Total .....	\$7,982.88

## REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1931

School District of Allentown

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*Summary*

Cash on hand June 30, 1930 .....	\$460.66
Received from selectmen:	
Appropriations for current year..	\$8,093.76
Dog tax .....	95.05 -
Money borrowed .....	37.72
Received from all other sources ....	141.05
	<hr/> \$8,367.58

Total amount available for fiscal year..... \$8,828.24

Less school board orders paid ..... \$8,828.24

EUGENE N. FONTAINE,  
*District Treasurer.*

July 10, 1931.

## AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Allentown, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1931, and find them correct in all respects.

July 11, 1931.

WESLEY E. TYRELL,  
*Auditor.*



# VITAL STATISTICS





# Births Registered in the Town of Allenstown, for the Year Ending December 31, 1931

Date of Birth	Name of the Child (if any)	Sex and Condition		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
		Sex	Living or Stillborn						
1931									
Jan. 1	Robert	M	L	Amedee Courtmanche	Hazel Paton	Allenstown	Weaver	Allenstown	Barre, Vt.
3	Mary Madeleine	F	L	Wm. Thibeault	Georgette Dionne	Allenstown	Merchant	Suncook	Somersworth
Feb. 3	Robert	M	L	Donat Thibeault	Annie V. Hagen	Allenstown	Merchant	Suncook	Chelsea, Mass.
10	Regina Lorrain	F	L	Louis O. Gagne	Antoinette Boisvert	Allenstown	Carpenter	Manchester	Pembroke
Mar. 2	Mary Davis	F	L	Alfred Beaudoin	Eva Beaulieu	Allenstown	Mill oper.	Massachusetts	Canada
25	Alice Laurette	F	L	Anatoino Bergeron	Alice Rivard	Allenstown	Carpenter	Pembroke	Allenstown
15	Annie	F	L	Armand Poirier	Catherine Auger	Allenstown	Mill oper.	Massachusetts	Pembroke
Apr. 25	Normand E.	M	L	Henry Hamel	Lillian Houle	Allenstown	Laborer	Suncook	Allenstown
May 6	Maria Blanche	F	L	Donat Bonenfant	Oneda Dancault	Allenstown	Mill oper.	Suncook	Suncook
8	Pauline Lorette	F	L	Wilfrid Coll	Jeanette Stokes	Allenstown	Truck driver	Allenstown	Allenstown
May 19	Phyllis W.	F	L	Irving Howe	Gladys Bill	Allenstown	Electrician	Massachusetts	Malden, Mass.
May 21	Charles Lawrence	M	L	Raymond P. Connor	Mabel Auger	Allenstown	Chief of Police	Allenstown	Pembroke
May 26	Leon Julien	M	L	Dorille Martel	Esther Girard	Allenstown	Laborer	Suncook	Suncook
May 27	Julia Adel	F	L	Alphonse Couture	Mary Harrington	Allenstown	Farmer	Berlin	Ireland
May 31	Lucille L. Marie	F	L	Wm. Baillergeon	Eva Lamontagne	Allenstown	Mill oper.	Suncook	Canada
May 26	Joseph Maurice	M	L	Hector Emond	Yvonne Baron	Allenstown	Mill oper.	Allenstown	Canada
July 3	Gerard Sylvio	M	L	Edgar Baron	Maria A. Lacroix	Allenstown	Laborer	Suncook	Canada
June 8	Beatrice Irene	F	L	10 Ovilla Montminy	Annie Gaudmont	Allenstown	Carpenter	Epsom	Hooksett
July 26	Phyllis Fowler	F	L	2 Wm. Drought	Belle Fowler	Allenstown	Hospital emp.	Allenstown	Chichester
Aug. 11	Anita	F	L	1 Jean Bechard	Anita Daneault	Allenstown	Farmer	Lowell, Mass.	Lowell, Mass.
22	Michael	M	L	5 Aurelio Mandaton	Lonise Desesa	Allenstown	Farmer	Italy	Boston, Mass.
Aug. 17	William Walter	M	L	3 Oscar Martel	Helen Come	Allenstown	Mill oper.	Allenstown	Lawrence, Mass.
Sept. 22	Roland Conrad	M	L	2 Alderic Chevrete	Helen Lauzier	Allenstown	Labor	Hooksett	Pembroke
Sept. 27		M	S	2 Amdec Beauchesne	Jeanne Couture	Allenstown	Mill oper.	No. Adams, Mass.	Canada
Oct. 7		F	L	4 Euclide Cloutier	Amanda Cormier	Allenstown	Milk dealer	Allenstown	Canada
Oct. 27	Yvette R.	F	L	1 Charles Auger	Maria L. Plante	Allenstown	Laborer	Suncook	Canada
Nov. 17	Georgette	F	L		Barbara Hammond	Allenstown	Manufacturer	Germany	Allston, Mass.
Dec. 12	David Winthrop	M	L	1 Eric Ober		Allenstown			

I hereby certify that the above is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

PAUL Z. LeBLANC, Town Clerk.

# Marriages Registered in the Town of Allenstown for the Year Ending December 31, 1931

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of Each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by whom married
1931 Feb. 2	Allenstown	Alfred Stokes Alexandrina Boisvert	Allenstown Pembroke	45 40	Laborer Mill oper.	Allenstown Canada	Cyrille Stokes Marie Trotter Godefroi Boisvert	Canada Canada Canada	R.R. worker Housewife Farmer	Rev. L. P. Routhier Priest Suncook
Feb. 16	Allenstown	Henry Girard Beatrice Lavallee	Allenstown Allenstown	24 21	Painter Mill oper.	Allenstown Pembroke	Clemence Marciel Adolphe Girard Alamida Martel Edgar Lavallee	Canada Canada Canada Canada	Retired At home At home Merchant	Rev. L. P. Routhier Priest Suncook
Feb. 16	Pittsfield	Ernest Raymond Leonidas Doucette	Allenstown Pittsfield	32 23	Truck driver Mill oper.	Pembroke Pittsfield	Malvine Dermisseaux George Raymond Ernestine St. Laurent Napoleon Doucett	Canada Canada Canada Canada	At home Mill oper. At home Laborer	Rev. D. J. Caron Priest Pittsfield
May 4	Allenstown	Roaul Guimont Emma Caron	Pembroke Allenstown	36 31	Mill oper. Mill oper.	Newmarket Canada	Sarah Labontie Moise Guimont Exclia Talbot	Canada Canada Canada	At home Mill foreman At home	Rev. L. P. Routhier Priest Suncook
May 30	Allenstown	Amedee Vervelle Beatrice Doucette	Allenstown Pembroke	25 23	Painter Mill oper.	Allenstown Manchester	Marcelin Caron Melanie Mercier George Verville Marie Joyal	Canada Canada Canada Canada	At home Laborer At home Carpenter	Rev. Eugene Dumas Priest Suncook
May 26	Concord	Aimee Neveu Mahel Wells	Allenstown Concord	22 21	Mill oper. At home	Allenstown Lowell, Mass.	Ludger Doucette Elizabeth Provencher Alfred Neveu	Canada Canada Suncook	At home Mill oper. Mill oper.	Rev. P. J. Kennealy Priest Concord
June 1	Beverly, Mass.	Ernest Felix Lucy La Rochelle	Allenstown Beverly, Mass.	21 22	Clerk Tel. oper.	Allenstown Salem, Mass.	Herbert C. Wells Euphemia Gillis Alfred Felix Emma Mongeau Neil La Rochelle Sophie Gosselin	Nashua P. E. Island Hooksett Canada Salem, Mass.	Unknown At home Mill oper. At home Shoemaker At home	Rev. Elie Barnaud Priest Beverly, Mass.



# Deaths Registered in the Town of Allenstown for the Year Ending December 31, 1931

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age		Place of Birth	Sex	widowed or married	Occupation	Place of Birth		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
			Yrs.	Mos. Dys.					Father	Mother		
1931												
Jan. 21	Allenstown	Michael Burke	76	9	Canada	M	W	Retired	Ireland	Ireland	Patrick Burke	Jane Coleman
Jan. 31	Epsom	George M. Brown	68	3	Canada	M	M	Farmer	Canada	Canada	Nathaniel Brown	Mary Bergeron
Feb. 4	Allenstown	Blanke L. Bergeoin	1	4	Allenstown	F	S	None	Pembroke	Allenstown	Antonio Bergeoin	Alice Rivard
Feb. 13	Allenstown	Octave Coll	54	8	Canada	M	M	Retired	Canada	Canada	Gabriel Coll	Oralie Lefevre
Feb. 18	Allenstown	John Picker	78	10	Canada	M	W	Retired				
Feb. 21	Allenstown	Etta M. Stearns	82	1	Manchester	F	W	Retired	Francestown	Goffstown	Harvey Denison	Mary J. Putnam
Feb. 23	Manchester	Priscilla Girard	11	4	Suncook	F	S	School girl	Suncook	Canada	Alfred Girard	Albina Bosse
Mar. 5	Manchester	Elizabeth S. Ames	63	1	Allenstown	F	S	Retired	Hooksett	Warren	John W. Ames	Mary F. Libbey
Mar. 9	Allenstown	Virginia M. Rousseau	73	..	Canada	F	W	Housewife	Canada	Canada	Napoleon Marcotte	Unknown
Mar. 30	Allenstown	Lydia Wentworth	78	..	Canada	F	W	Retired	Farmington	Maine	David S. Robert	Sabina Lord
May 17	Allenstown	Isodore Beauchesne	9	4	New Durham	M	S	School boy	Allenstown	Connecticut	Oscar Beauchesne	Eva Lemay
July 5	Manchester	Gerald Baron	..	2	Manchester	M	M	None	Allenstown	Canada	Edgar Baron	Marie Auge
July 21	Hudson	Valanti Cote	82	11	Canada	M	M	Retired	Canada	Canada	Chapla Cote	Lacroix
Aug. 1	Pittsfield	Florence Lauzier	..	16	Pittsfield	F	S	None	Pembroke	Pembroke	Victor Lauzier	Mary Auger
Sept. 12	Allenstown	Hervey Burnham	72	3	Essex, Mass.	M	M	Supt.	Essex, Mass.	Essex, Mass.	Hervey Burnham	Lucy M. Burnham
Oct. 2	Allenstown	Ludvine Chapdelaine	78	..	Canada	F	W	Retired	Canada	Canada	Antoine Lapien	Sophie Millette
Oct. 26	Allenstown	Joseph Houle	80	8	Canada	M	W	Retired	Canada	Canada	John Houle	Matilda Houle
Dec. 16	Allenstown	Yvonne Pinard	12	..	Canada	F	S	None	Canada	Canada	Xavier Pinard	Orise Pinard

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